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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of

Atwood et al.

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PIPELINE BUFFER**

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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

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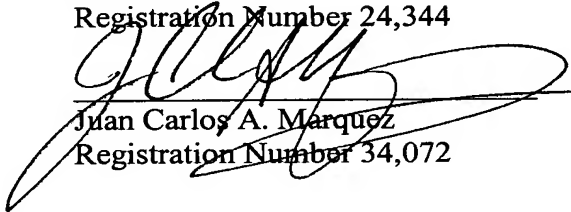
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